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NOTICE AND DESCRIPTION OF SHELLFISH AREA CONDEMNATION NUMBER 101-020, CHINCOTEAGUE ISLAND AND VICINITY

EFFECTIVE 20 APRIL 2006

Pursuant to Title 28.2, Chapter 8, §§28.2-803 through 28.2-808, §32.1-20, and §9-6.14:4.1, B.16 of the *Code of Virginia*:

- The "Notice and Description of Shellfish Area Condemnation Number 101-020, Chincoteague Island and Vicinity," effective 31 May 2005, is canceled effective 20 April 2006.
- 2. The shellfish condemnation area Number 101-020 shown at Sections A through J is hereby established effective 20 April 2006. As to Sections A through H, it shall be unlawful for any person, firm, or corporation to take shellfish from these areas for any purpose, except by permit granted by the Marine Resources Commission, as provided in § 28.2-810 of the *Code of Virginia*. As to Sections I and J, it shall be unlawful for any person, firm, or corporation to take shellfish from these areas for any purpose. The boundaries of these areas are shown on the map titled "Chincoteague Island and Vicinity, Condemned Shellfish Number 101-020, 20 April 2006" which is part of this notice.
- 3. The Department of Health will receive, consider and respond to petitions by any interested person at any time with respect to reconsideration or revision of this order.

BOUNDARIES OF CONDEMNED AREA NUMBER 101-020

- A. All of that portion of Chincoteague Channel and tributaries inland of a line drawn from latitude/longitude map coordinate (37°57'00.5",-75°21'29.5") to map coordinate (37°56'36.4", -75°22'06.8"), southwesterly across the marsh to map coordinate (37°56'28.7",-75°22'17.0"), to map coordinate (37°56'21.8",-75°22'28.4"), and along the eastern side of this island to map coordinate (37°55'58.1",-75°23'10.9"), then on to map coordinate (37°55'38.1",-75°23'29.4"), to map coordinate (37°55'02.5",-75°23'41.9"), to map coordinate (37°54'15.7",-75°24'00.0"), to map coordinate (37°54'23.2",-75°24'28.1"), to map coordinate (37°54'15.7",-75°24'34.6"), and on to the shore of Chincoteague Island at map coordinate (37°54'01.5",-75°24'26.5"); but shall exclude the areas described in Sections I and J.
- B. All of the area of Andrews Landing Gut and Fowling Gut upstream of a line drawn from latitude / longitude map coordinate (37°53'58.2",-75°23'43.4") to map coordinate (37°53'58.3",-75°23'41.8").



- C. All of the area of Black Point Drain and its tributaries upstream of a line drawn from latitude / longitude map coordinate (37°54'15.1",-75°23'05.1") to map coordinate (37°54'21.3", -75°23'06.6").
- D. All of the unnamed drainage ditch on the west side of Assateague Channel, found approximately 1000 feet northeasterly of Section C, upstream of a line drawn from latitude / longitude map coordinate (37°54'25.9", -75°22'55.9") to map coordinate (37°54'26.8", -75°22'55.6").
- E. All of the area of the Toms Cove Campground boat basin and tributaries lying upstream and inland of a line drawn from latitude / longitude map coordinate (37°54'30.9",-75°22'56.7") to map coordinate (37°54'32.1",-75°22'57.3").
- F. All of the unnamed drainage ditch in the bight on the west side of Assateague Channel, found approximately 2000 feet northerly of Section E, upstream of a line drawn from latitude / longitude map coordinate (37°54'51.3",-75°23'02.6") to map coordinate (37°54'51.4", -75°23'02.5").
- G. All of that portion of Assateague Channel and Sheepshead Creek and tributaries inland and upstream of a line drawn from latitude / longitude map coordinate (37°55'00.2",-75°22'33.1"), then to a point 200 feet offshore at map coordinate (37°54'58.2",-75°22'33.1"), on to the westernmost projection of the large marsh island at map coordinate (37°54'58.6", -75°22'20.2"), along the south side of the marsh island to its easternmost projection at map coordinate (37°54'57.7",-75°22'00.8"), then on to the shore of Chincoteague Island at map coordinate (37°55'02.6",-75°21'52.3"); as well as inland of a line drawn from map coordinate (37°55'07.3",-75°21'16.6") to map coordinate (37°55'07.8" -75°21'14.3").
- H. All of the area of Eel Creek and its tributaries upstream of a line drawn from latitude / longitude map coordinate (37°55'51.6",-75°21'14.3") to map coordinate (37°55'52.4", -75°21'13.8").
- I. All of that portion of Chincoteague Channel in the vicinity of the United States Coast Guard station inland of a line drawn from latitude / longitude map coordinate (37°55'58.6", -75°22'52.1"), to map coordinate (37°56'00.6",-75°22'54.6"), to map coordinate (37°55'50.9",-75°23'01.7").
- J. All of that portion of Chincoteague Channel inland of a line drawn from latitude / longitude map coordinate (37°56'14.0",-75°22'24.6"), to map coordinate (37°56'14.4",-75°22'25.2"), to map coordinate (37°56'08.6",-75°22'32.4"), to map coordinate (37°56'08.0",-75°22'31.6").

Recommended by:

Director, Division of Shellfish Sanitation

Ordered by:

State Health Commissioner

Date

